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SUBJECT: IVORIAN AMBASSADOR AHOUA'S CALL ON VICE
PRESIDENT

REF: A) ABIDJAN 2537, B) ABIDJAN 2646

1. OWING TO PRESS OF BUSINESS, THE PRESIDENT WAS UNABLE
TO RECEIVE AMBASSADOR AHOUA OF THE IVORY COAST IN RESPONSE
TO THE REQUEST MADE BY PRESIDENT HOUPHOUET-BOIGNY (REF A).
HOWEVER, ON MARCH 29, AMBASSADOR AHOUA PAID A BRIEF CALL
ON VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE TO DELIVER THE TEXT OF
PRESIDENT HOUPHOUET-BOIGNY'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT CARTER.
THE MEETING LASTED FIVE MINUTES. THE ATMOSPHERE
WAS EXTREMELY CORDIAL. THE VICE PRESIDENT GREETED
AMBASSADOR AHOUA WARMLY. THE VICE PRESIDENT RECEIVED
HOUPHOUET'S LETTER ON BEHALF OF PRESIDENT CARTER AND
ASSURED AMBASSADOR AHOUA THAT IT WOULD BE BROUGHT TO THE
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PRESIDENT'S ATTENTION PROMPTLY. THE VICE PRESIDENT
COMMENTED THAT US/IVORIAN RELATIONS WERE VERY GOOD, AND
CLOSED BY EXPRESSING HIS PLEASURE IN MEETING AMBASSADOR
AHOUA.

2. APPROXIMATELY 10 OF THE 12 PAGES OF THE LETTER DEAL
WITH THE MIDDLE EAST. HOUPHOUET'S VIEWS ON THE SITUATION

IN SOUTHERN AFRICA ARE BRIEFLY SUMMARIZED AT THE END. A
REPLY IS NOW BEING PREPARED. THE TEXT OF BOTH MESSAGES
WILL BE TRANSMITTED TO ABIDJAN.

3. THE EMBASSY MAY DRAW ON THE SUBSTANCE OF PARA ONE
ABOVE AS IT SEES FIT.

4. A PHOTOGRAPH WAS TAKEN WHICH WILL BE SENT TO THE
EMBASSY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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